

The Daily Courant.

Tuesday, February 18. 1724.

Moscow, January 4.

PUrsuant to the Czar's Command, the Regency has sent Direction to the Governours in the several Provinces, that within the Space of three Months they send hither to the Royal Treasury the Produce of the Taxes impos'd on the said Provinces. This Direction of the Regency gives no small Uneasiness to the Nobility and Persons of Estates, because the Commissioners that were sent into the Provinces four Months ago, have taken an exact Register of the Revenues there, and have rated them according to the Assessments required of each Province. Some of the Governours proposed to pay a general Sum for each District, but that Proposal was rejected, because the Czar's Orders must be punctually executed. Prince Mensikoff arrived here some Days past, and went afterwards to one of his Estates 12 Leagues from this City, having ordered his Domestic and Baggage to set out before for Pultowa, designing to go thither himself the End of the Month. The General of the Cossacks has, by the Czar's Order, drawn off all the Provisions in the defenceless Places of Ukraina, into others of more Strength and Security, and has also made great Magazines, to cut off Subsistence from the Turks in Case of a Rupture with the Porte; the Tartars also on these Frontiers have done the like on their Part. M. Bruce, General of the Russian Artillery, is not yet returned from visiting the Towns along the Rivers Pruth and Neister, and by reason of his being accompanied with 12 Engineers, 'tis believed he has given Directions for the fortifying of several Forts that are to be furnished with the Cannon and military Stores already sent thither. Yesterday a great Alarm was had here, upon the coming in of an Express from these Frontiers, who was going forward for Petersburg: He brought Advice, that a Body of 8000 Tartars had just now made an Inroad ten Leagues within the Russian Territories, ravaging and plundering all the Country, and were returning by another Way with their Booty, to avoid having their Retreat cut off by the Cossacks, who were posted at the Passes where those Tartars entered. Another Express from Astracan reports, that the Troops of the young Sophi of Persia, to the Number of 18000 Men, are approached very near to the Caspian Sea, within three Days March of joining our Army.

Stockholm, Jan. 22. On the 20th Instant arrived a Courier from Petersburg, who came by the Way of Finland, and brought to M. Bestuchef the Muscovite Minister here, Credentials for taking on him the Character of the Czar's Envoy Extraordinary; which Credentials having been delivered to the Chancery, the said Minister had this Morning an Audience of the King and Queen of Sweden, as Envoy. It has frone a little for some Days past, and here has also fallen a little Snow, but to Day

it has rained again and is very mild Weather, which makes People begin now to despair of having any Winter at all that can be of much Use for the Service of the Mines and Iron Forges, the Failure whereof will be a very great Loss to this Kingdom; and besides it is generally apprehended, that the wet Season we have had for so long a Time has already spoiled the Crop of Winter Corn now in the Ground, so that the Price of all Grain is risen very considerably of late; and without a sudden Change to Frost, it is feared we shall have a dearth in this Kingdom before the End of the Year.

Cádiz, Jan. 24. Vice-Admiral Godin, commanding the Dutch Squadron against the Algerines, having taken in fresh Provision at Cartagena, returned towards the Straights the 25th inst, with the Captains Vander Graft and Schryver, intending to cruise off of Cape St. Vincent, upon Advice that four Algerine Corsairs had passed the Straights Mouth. On the 2d Instant, those Dutch Men of War put into this Bay, to get Intelligence if the Captains Lyallager and Raad were arrived here, but not hearing any News of them, they stood out again to Sea the 5th, and afterwards cruized till the 16th off of Cape St. Vincent, without meeting any Corsair: Upon which, they returned hither the 20th in order to Carreen, but will immediately put again to Sea, to cruise between Gibraltar and Ceuta, having received Intelligence that the four Algerines which cruized lately off the Tagus, were to return toward the Straights the End of this Month, in order to proceed to Algiers.

Berlin, Feb. 12. The Queen of Prussia has been very much indisposed lately at Potsdam, with an Inflammation in the Throat; two Physicians of the Court were sent for thither some Days past, but Yesterday they returned hither with the good News of her Majesty's being perfectly well: The Day of the King and Queen's coming to this Capital is not yet publicly known. Major General de Montargen is returned hither from Sietzin, where he has marked out several new Works to be added to the Fortifications, which will be begun upon as soon as the Season will permit. Lieutenant General Dörfling is lately dead here; his Regiment of Hesse Grenadiers is given to Baron Schlabachowsky.

Copenhagen, Feb. 22. The Princess Royal of Denmark goes on very well with her Pregnancy. The King and Queen returned hither the 10th Instant from Fredericksbourg, to celebrate the Anniversary solemn Thanksgiving which was performed Yesterday. His Majesty has appointed Major General Stochem to be Governour of this City.

Brussels, Feb. 15. Letters from Ostend relate, that the three Ships belonging to the Austrian East-India Company, sailed from thence the 10th Instant with a favourable Wind for Bengal and China; that they were saluted at their Departure by the Cannon of the Ramparts, and that each Ship returned the Salute with 11 Guns; and that Advice

Hagen, Feb. 15. The new Bishop of Liege has notified to the States General his Election, by a Letter written in very obliging Terms. The Council of State proposed lately to the States General the increasing the Number of their Forces, and their High Mightinesses appointed certain Deputies to consider that Proposition. These Deputies have made their Report, by which they recommend to their High Mightinesses the augmenting their Forces from the present Establishment of 34074 Men to 40858, by adding a certain Number of Soldiers to every Company of Foot and to every Troop of Dragoons, the Cavalry and the Swiss to remain as they are. Their High Mightinesses have sent to the several Provinces for their Consent to this Augmentation.

Paris, Feb. 11. Letters from Brittany give an Account, that they had lately such tempestuous Weather, that that Count, that a Number of small Vessels which were laden with Wine from Bordeaux for the Ports of Brittany were call'd off. The Marshal Duke of Richwick is promoted in go and command of the Vanguard, in the room of the Duke de Berry, who is recalled from that Province.

Feb. 12 - Camp in the Iyos River
Chilopods

Dead, Feb. 14. * Came in the *Birmingham*.
Charles, Reformation, These Friends, and Elizabeth,
from Oporto; and Betty from Lisbon.

Gravesend, Feb. 16. Passed by the Charles, Beckingham, Reformation, Three Friends, Providence, and Vine, from Oporto; Mary from Lisbon, and Henry from Stockholm.

Yesterday South Sea Stock was 116. 116. 1 half,
116. 1 8th. 116 3 qrs. 116 5 8ths. South-Sea An-
nuity 102. Bank 128, 128 1 qr. Bank Subscrip-
tion 10, 10 1 qr. per Cent. Premium. India 148.
African 20 5 8ths. 20 3 qrs. 20 5 8ths. York
Buildings 11 3 qrs. Royal Exchange Assurance 48.
48 1 qr. London Assurance 7.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, for Thursday next, being the 20th of February, will be performed, A New Opera, call'd JULIUS CÆSAR. Tickets will be delivered out at the Office in the Hay-Market to-morrow and Thursday, at half a Guinea each. And in regard to the increase of the Number of the Subscribers, no more than Three Hundred and Forty Tickets will be delivered out. No Ticket will be given at the Door, nor any Person whatsoever admitted for Money. The Gallery 4 s. No Person to be admitted behind the Scenes. To begin exactly a Six a-Clock.

At the Theatre Royal in Drury-lane, this evening Tuesday, being the 11th of February, will be presented A Comedy called, The Confession Lovers. Sir John Bevil Mr. Mills, Bevil, Jun. Mr. Booth, Myrtle Mr. Wilks, Mr. Seal and Mr. Williams, Climberton Mr. Griffin, Humphrey Mr. Shepherd, Tom Mr. Ciber, Daniel Mr. Theo. Ciber, Indiana Mrs. Oldfield, Isabella Mrs. Thurnmond, Lucinda Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Seal and Mrs. Moore, Phillis Mrs. Younger. With several Entertainments of Singing in Italian, by Mrs. Weekly.

At the Theatre Royal in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, this present Tuesday, being the 18th of February, will be presented a Comedy call'd, *The Drummer*; or, *The Haunted House*. To which will be added, a new Dramatick Entertainment, call'd *Dancing in Grotesque Characters*, call'd, *The Necromancer*; or, *Harlequin Dr. Faustus*. *Harlequin* by Mr. Lunn, the Good and Evil Geniis, an Infernal Spirit, the Shades of Helen, Hero, Leander, and Charon, performed by Mr. Leveridge, Mr. Legar, Mrs. Chambers, and others.

Demons represented in the following Characters,
 Harlequin, } Man and Woman } Mon. Dupre, and Mrs. Rogier,
 Pierrot, } perform'd by } Mr. Nivelon, jun. and Mrs. Crofs;
 Mezzetin } } Mr. Glover, and Mrs. Wall,
 Scaramouch, } } Mr. Lanyon, and Mrs. Bullock.
 Fench by Mr. Nivelon, Sen. and all the other Parts to be performed
 by the Comedians. Note will be admitted into the Boxes by each
 Ticket 3 s. N. B. This desired that no Persons will take it ill that
 they are refused Admittance behind the Scenes, it being impossible
 to perform the Entertainment if the Entrances are not entirely clear.
 And on Thursday will be presented a new Tragedy call'd EDWIN.

AT the New Theatre, over-against the Opera-House in the Hay-market, this present Tuesday, being the 18th of February, will be revived A Comedy call'd Marplot. Being the Sequel to the Busie Body. The Part of Marplot to be performed by Mr. Williams. With select Pieces of merriment between the Acts. To which will be added, The Original Farce of the Life and Death of Dr. Faustus, with the Humours of Harlequin, and Scaramouch. To begin at Six a Clock. And on Thursday next will be presented a Tragedy call'd The Royal Convert, with a Farce of one Act, call'd, The Adventures of Half an Hour, in which will be performed the Escapes of Harlequin, a Dramatick Entertainement. For the Benefit of Mr. Brown, Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Sparling, and Mr. Michard.

Mrs. Charlotte Caffelranc, and her Sister, Mary, who keep a French Boarding School, at the Haymarket, near the Hospital at London, are to remove next Lady Day to a new convenient House in Fozzow Town, opposite the Lady Haymarket, where they are to be Mr. Fild's, where young Ladies may be taught French, Italian, Dancing, Attic-musick, and Music, and French Needle-works.

Whereas, on or about Tuesday the 1st of the month of February, there was left at Richards Coffee House, in the City of New York, a certain Cloth Coat, with Gold Velvet Buttons, and a pair of Spikes, and in the Room thereof was taken a certain Cloth Coat, with large Gold Button Barriers, and named the Button-Holes in from the Top almost to the Bottom. If the Gentleman who has taken it, will call at the aforesaid Coffee House, he will have his own again, or whoever brings it, shall have it, and half a Guinea Reward.

On Friday the 21st of this Instant February, at Eleven of the Clock, will be raffied for Williams' Collection, 2000 \$1000 Tickets, to be drawn for the first time, by the Hon. the Governor, and the Hon. the Judges, in a Room for that purpose now at Williams's, where the Conditions of the Traffic are to be seen.

Woollen Broad Cloths of several Sorts
Druggets, white and dyed Shalloons, Kerseys, Stuffs, Grapes, Silks
&c. viz.

3748 Yards of Superfine Broad Cloths and Coarser.
 2104 Yards of Druggens.
 200 Pieces of Shalloons, white and dyed.
 40 Pieces of Kerseys.
 4800 Yards of Sattins, Crapes, and Silks.

Being an entire Parcel of Goods that must be sold by the end of February, and Attendance will be given every Day at a Warehouse, the Sign of the Fleete, in the Crown Tavern Yard, over against Castle-Alley, behind the Royal Exchange.

To be Lett at Midsummer next,
A Houfe, being the Sign of the Angel in
the Old-Change, near Old-Win-freet, being an ancient Pastry
Cook's of 30 Years standing, wherein is feveral very kindly Ovens
and a large Room fit to entertain 30 or 40 People, it may also serve
for a Baker. Enquire at the said Houfe, or at Mr. Robert Keynsham
in Great Winchester-street near Little-Moorgate.

Aubrey de la Motraye's Travels through Europe, Asia, and into Parts of Africa, adorned with 28 proper Cuts and Maps; and containing a large Description of Turkey, Turkey, Circassia, Sweden, Lapland, &c. With a curious Collection of Things particularly rare either in Nature or Antiquity, and the most considerable Events which happen'd during his said Travels for above 25 Years: as among others, the chief Transactions of the late King of Sweden from Fultowa, to his Death under Frederickhall, &c. being printed in English by Subscription, are delivered at his Lodging, next Door to the new Church, Bloomsbury, at Messrs Crochly's, on producing his Receipts for the first Payments, and at quiting the second. Those who will subscribe to the French, which cannot come out before next Autumn, may do it at Messrs Vallard and Dunoyer, in the Strand.

This Day is Published

The Duty of doing as we would be done unto
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